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LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC HEARING & DATA REQUESTS
Revised

May 22, 2006 – June 5, 2006

No Hearing Scheduled

Addendums

Freedom of Information request # **06-08** has been received from **Lorenz J. Finison, Ph.D, Sigma Works**, for aggregate non-confidential inpatient discharge abstract data for FY 2000 through FY 2005. Data will contain acute care hospital inpatient pediatric behavioral health care discharges assigned Diagnosis Related Groups (DRGs) 424 through 437 and 521 through 523 and for ages 18 years and under.

Freedom of Information request #**06-09** has been received from **Charles Therrien, CEO – Essent Healthcare of Connecticut, Inc. d/b/a Sharon Hospital**, for aggregate non-confidential inpatient discharge abstract data for FYs 2004 & 2005. Data will contain total number of discharges, principal diagnoses and procedures and, patient origin for Essent-Sharon hospital's primary and secondary service areas.

The Office of Health Care Access is reviewing these requests to ensure that they conform to the Office of Health Care Access' regulations regarding confidentiality. Interested persons may obtain a copy of these requests and/or submit written comments regarding the confidentiality of these requests by writing to the Office of Health Care Access, attention Marie Dempsey, and identifying the request number. All comments pertaining to these requests must be received no later than **June 6, 2006** in order to be considered by the Office of Health Care Access.

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